

1300 Eye Street N.W.
Washington, DC 20005
Telephone: 202.659.0100
Facsimile: 202.659.0105
www.novakdruce.com

**Novak Druce DeLuca
& Quigg, LLP**

Fax

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

DEC 05 2005

To:	USPTO - Mail Stop AMENDMENT	From:	Jason D. Voight
Fax:	(571) 273-8300	Pages:	9
Phone:	(571) 272-1000	Date:	December 5, 2005
Re:	Attorney Docket: 50615	cc:	

☐ Urgent ☐ For Review ☐ Please Comment ☐ Please Reply ☐ Please Recycle

• Comments:

In re Application of: DUWENIG, et al.

Serial No.: 09/636,826

Filing Date: August 14, 2000

Attachments: Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE: This facsimile and any attachments contain information from the law firm of Novak Druce DeLuca & Quigg, LLP, which may be confidential and/or privileged. The information is intended to be for the use of the individual or entity named on this facsimile. If you are not the intended recipient, be aware that any disclosure, copying, distribution or use of the contents of this facsimile is prohibited. If you receive this facsimile in error, please notify us by reply facsimile immediately so that we can arrange for the retrieval of the original documents at no cost to you.

BEST AVAILABLE COPY

RECEIVED

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE **CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

In re the application of)	Mail Stop AMENDMENT	DEC 05 2005
)		
DUWENIG et al.)	Confirmation No.: 8623	
)		
Serial No. 09/636,826)	Examiner: COLLINS	
)		
Filing or 371(c) Date: 08/14/2000)	Art Unit: 1638	
For: PLANT GENE EXPRESSION UNDER THE CONTROL OF CONSTITUTIVE PLANT V-ATPASE PROMOTERS			

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, or being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Fax No. 571-273-8300, on 12/5/2005.

Typed or printed name of person signing this certificate: Hortense Coleman

Signature: H Coleman

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

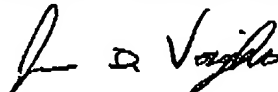
RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of November 22, 2005,
Applicants request entry of the following Amendments to the Claims and Remarks.

Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper to
Deposit Account 14.1437. Please credit any excess fees to such account.

Respectfully submitted,

NOVAK DRUCE DeLUCA & QUIGG LLP



Jason D. Voight
Reg. No. 42,205

Customer No. 26474
1300 Eye Street, N.W.
400 East Tower
Washington, D.C. 20005
(202) 659-0100
JDV/TRS